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# KMT release British ship after 24-hour detention

## Shark caught at Stanley

A shark weighing more than 200 pounds was caught at Stanley yesterday by a fisherman of the Hong Kee Junk.

It was caught in a net put out during a routine fishing excursion. The shark was cut and sold in the market.

## Two Chinese gaoled on arms charge

Two men, Pang Pat-lun and Yeung Chun-yung, were each sentenced to seven years' hard labour by Mr. Justice T. J. Gould at the Criminal Sessions yesterday for possession of arms and ammunition.

Yeung was also given 12 strokes of the cane. Pang got off because he was certified medically unfit for caning.

Outlining the case for the Crown, Mr. M. Heenan, Crown Counsel, told the Court that the Police raided an unnumbered hut near Kowloon Tong Village on May 22 to find arms and ammunition. The raid resulted in the arrest of the two accused men, who were found in possession of a Japanese-type hand grenade, a revolver, a tin of machine-gun bullets, and 14 rounds of ammunition.

As a result of investigations following the arrest of the two accused men, the Police found a tin of machine-gun bullets, a tin of machine-gun bullets, and a tin of machine-gun bullets.

The first accused had already pleaded guilty on Monday. An all-may jury returned a verdict of guilty against the second accused who was not legally represented.

## Engineer on driving charges

The case against Edward John Brown, aged 25, engineer, of 14 Dorset Crescent, Kowloon Tong, on two charges of driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor and careless driving, was heard before Mr. F. X. d'Almeida at Kowloon yesterday.

Defendant was alleged to have driven his car No. 1850 carelessly while under the influence of liquor on the night of July 2 in Waterloo Road, near Pitt Street where he was alleged to have smashed on to a wall seriously injuring himself.

Defendant, who is on \$500 bail is represented by Mr. F. G. Nigel, while Sub-Inspector G. F. Watt, of the Traffic Department, is prosecuting.

Dr. K. T. Cheng, of the Kowloon Hospital, giving evidence said that when defendant was admitted to the hospital he found him to be under the influence of liquor.

In his cross-examination of Dr. Cheng, Mr. Nigel suggested that his client was suffering from rebus amnesia at the time of the accident.

Inspector Watt said that when he visited the scene of the accident at 11 p.m. on July 2, he found the front part of defendant's car badly smashed with the instrument board pushed in and the lower part of the steering wheel bent inward. He was informed that the driver of the car had been taken to the hospital.

Later he saw defendant at the Yau-mai Police Station sitting in a chair and that he was smelling strongly of liquor. Inspector Watt said that when defendant, who is an acquaintance of his, recognised him and asked him what had happened.

Brown then began to rub his stomach and agreed to witness's suggestion to return to the hospital. At the hospital defendant was told that he would have to go to the prisoner's ward. He did not agree to this and was brought back to the station where he was charged and released on bail.

Hearing was adjourned until October 3.

## FRESH FISH PRICES

Fresh fish average prices realized at the Hong Kong Fish Wholesale Market, Kennedy Town, yesterday, per catty.

	First quality	Average
Yellow Croaker	\$2.70	\$2.40
Mac. Croaker	1.10	1.00
Blue Fish	1.20	1.10
Sea Bream	1.30	1.20
Sea Bream (small)	1.40	1.30
Sea Bream (large)	1.50	1.40
Sea Bream (very large)	1.60	1.50
Sea Bream (extra large)	1.70	1.60
Sea Bream (super)	1.80	1.70
Sea Bream (top)	1.90	1.80

The British-registered coaster Torino, which was intercepted and seized for nearly 24 hours by a Nationalist warship in the Formosa Strait on Monday, is expected to arrive in Hong Kong today, it was learned yesterday.

Both Wheelock Marden Company and Holly Steamship Company, owners and charterers of the ship respectively, stated yesterday that the 600-ton ship was intercepted and seized by a Nationalist warship on Monday night.

A brief message received from the ship's master yesterday informed these companies that she was released on Tuesday afternoon and was proceeding towards Hong Kong. The message further added that the cargo on board the vessel was intact.

An official of Wheelock Marden Company, when approached by the "China Mail" yesterday, said that they had no information as to whether the ship had been released.

The Torino left Hong Kong late last week. Her destination was reported to be Amoy, a port into which she had called many times previously. She was fired on and struck with machine-gun bullets by Nationalist warships near Amoy in mid-July.

**Warning shots**

Naval quarters in Talpo yesterday admitted that the Nationalist Navy on Monday prevented the Torino from reaching Amoy with cargo from Hong Kong, adds an Associated Press report.

The Torino, they declared, ignored signals to halt as she was approaching Amoy and instead tried to escape Southward.

Warning shots were fired. None struck the ship, which suffered neither damage nor casualties.

The Torino was brought to halt near Tungshan Island, between Amoy and Swatow, and a naval party was sent aboard.

On instructions from Naval Headquarters in Taiwan, the vessel was released and turned back to Hong Kong, the Associated Press report concludes.

**mv. Swallow**

The Panamanian motor-vessel Swallow, which was seized by a Nationalist warship on January 17 as she was approaching Amoy from Hong Kong, is expected to return here late in the week.

Colon Shipping Company here, agents for the vessel, stated yesterday that the latest message they received from Mr. W. D. Gordon, master, reported the ship had been released by the Nationalist naval authorities on August 18. The Company had no information as to whether she had been cleared by the Nationalist Ministry of Communications for her departure for Hong Kong.

The Company further stated that technical difficulties, including the absence of crew members on board the ship, might also delay the departure of the vessel for Hong Kong. Captain Gordon and three seamen working in the engine room are the only personnel at present on board the vessel, an official of the Company added. Other European officers and Chinese crew members remained on Hong Kong in May, he said.

The Swallow, a 500-ton coaster was escorted to Talpo after being seized by Nationalist warships near Amoy. She was known to have been used by the Nationalists as a transport between Taiwan and Kishan Island before she was released. The release of the ship has been the result of a protest lodged by Mr. M. G. Gulliver, Panamanian Minister in Talpo, with the Nationalist Government, it was learned.

## YOUTH SENTENCED

Sentence of a month's imprisonment was imposed on Hui Ping-chi, aged 19, by Mr. Winter at Kowloon yesterday on two charges of being a suspected person found loitering and for his unlawful possession of an unlicensed revolver.

According to Inspector Orem, defendant on Monday night was found loitering in the cars at the car park in Salisbury Road. When arrested he was found to have three spent bullets in his pocket, one of the spent bullets relating to an umbrella, which he had pawned for \$5.

The police are holding the umbrella for its rightful owner.

## BATU ANAM RUBBER ESTATES

A net profit of HK\$21,120 was made in the year ended on March 31 by the Batu Anam (Johore) Rubber Estates, Limited. This was disclosed at yesterday's annual general meeting of the Company.

The Chairman of the Board of Directors, Mr. W. A. Welch, said that the output for the year was only 2,000 pounds below the estimate, which is most creditable in view of the difficulties arising from the shortage of labour towards the end of the financial period. This was caused by labourers leaving to work on native holdings where they can earn more on a share basis than they can on European-owned estates. It is most gratifying, he added, to be able to report that the costs of production for this financial year were about two cents below the cost for the previous financial year.

With the recent increase in the price of rubber, the Directors will consider whether to plant up some new rubber and perhaps some other cultures on this remote island. In December, the Estate started to sell its rubber in the form of liquid latex to Dunlop, and this is still continuing, and the contract appears to be operating satisfactorily.

Present at the meeting were Mr. W. A. Welch (Chairman), Mr. H. Kadoorie (Director), Mr. C. E. Abbas (representing the Secretaries & General Managers, J. A. Wattle & Co., Ltd.), and Shareholders representing 281,000 shares.

## Dr. F. Bunje to speak on Euthanasia

Dr. Hermann N. Sander, who candidly confessed a few months ago to the killing of an incurable cancer patient, was acquitted by a United States Jury of the charge of murder.

The French National Council of Physicians soundly and unanimously condemned Dr. Sander's action when his President Professor Fortes declared tersely, "Euthanasia—or so-called Mercy Killing—is a pact with Hell."

Professor Andre Lemaitre added, "The idea of an incurable disease is today inadmissible. The infirmity of doctors is not sufficiently established to give them the right of life or death," was the opinion of Professor Henri Mondor.

In the light of these statements, the monthly luncheon of the Yau-Pat Students' Association on Saturday in the Jacobean Rooms of the Hong Kong Hotel will bring a speaker and a topic of more than ordinary interest.

Dr. F. Bunje will be the guest of honour on this occasion, and his subject is "Euthanasia" or "Mercy Killing."

## mv. ANKING

A 6,000-ton new motor-vessel for Butterfield and Swire, the Anking, is expected to arrive here today from the United Kingdom on her maiden voyage to the Far East.

She will ply regularly between Hong Kong and Singapore, it was learned.

## Reminders

**Today**

NAAFI Club, Snooker Tournament, 7 p.m.; dancing class, 7.30 p.m.

Union Jack Club, tombola, 7.30 p.m.

Nine Dragons Services Club, chess competitions, 7 p.m.

HK Women's International Club, whist drive, for Forces, 7.30 p.m.

Mr. Peter Tsang's one-man exhibition of photographs, at Photographic Society of Hong Kong, 217A, Prince's Bldg., 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Legislative Council meeting, 2.30 p.m.

Concert of Recorded Music, Diocesan Boys' School, 8.15 p.m.

Kowloon Rotary Club closed meeting, Peninsula Hotel, 12.30 p.m.

**Coming events**

**TOMORROW**

NAAFI Club, dance, 8 to 11 p.m.

Union Jack Club, tombola, 7.30 p.m.

Nine Dragons Services Club, tombola, 7.30 p.m.

Nine Dragons Services Club, chess competitions, 7 p.m.

NAAFI Club, tombola, 7.30 p.m.

Wah Yau Post Students Association, talk on "Mercy Killing" by Dr. F. Bunje, Jacobean Room, HK Hotel, 1 p.m.

European YMCA, "Round the World" by Jonathan Sly, West Lounge, 8.30 p.m.

## THE "BRAINS" SURPLUS IN HONG KONG

There is at the present time a surplus of "brains" in Hong Kong which is begging to be used. It represents the type of knowledge, experience, and skill without which civilisation as we know it cannot survive, says USIS.

A survey by the American University Club of Hong Kong reveals that there are now hundreds of men and women ranging in age up to 18 years, all college or university graduates, some holding as many as four degrees, seeking employment. Most of them are widely experienced in the various professions of many kinds, such as engineers, such as civil, mechanical, electrical, chemical, hydraulic, sanitary, mining, railway, aeronautic and power plant engineering, business and industrial executives, economic and banking executives, lawyers, judges, journalists and scholars. There are enough educators to staff several universities with professors and instructors.

The American University Club of Hong Kong has a list of these people, who are qualified to make a valuable contribution to the community, institutions and firms desiring the services of college-trained and experienced men and women are invited to communicate with the American University Club, Employment Service, Room 104, Edinburgh House, Queen's Road Central.

## Funeral

**Mrs. Norah Stutchbury**

More than 40 persons attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Norah Evelyn Stutchbury at St. John's Cathedral yesterday afternoon and ceremonies at Colonial Cemetery after the service.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilhelms of Hong Kong.

The Right Reverend Bishop R. O. Hall, conducted the service assisted by the Reverend J. E. Sandbach.

Mr. D. J. Fraser was the organist.

Mrs. Stutchbury was the victim of a Malay terrorist who abducted her on August 13 in a terrorist ambush. Her body was found on August 19 near Pahang, Malaya.

A special plane brought her remains to Hong Kong from Malacca on Tuesday.

Her husband, Mr. A. D. Stutchbury, British District Officer at Bentong was present at the service.

Mrs. Stutchbury had lived in Hong Kong for many years.

## Prosecution closes case against bribery suspects

The case for the prosecution closed yesterday in the case in which an American and four Chinese are charged with offering a bribe to Mr. Thomas Clunie, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Traffic Department.

The defendants are Ng Joo-ping, aged 40, travelling trader; Charles Joseph Murphy, aged 34, unemployed American; Ngai Wan-man, aged 28, unemployed; Thomas Cheng, aged 37, master of the Hapkow Store; and Tsang Tat-man, aged 40, partner and supervisor of the Yat Yuet Electric Bulb Workshop.

The first charge against the first four accused alleged that on June 11 at 40 MacDonnell Road, ground floor, they did promise Mr. T. Clunie, Traffic Superintendent, \$6,000 as an inducement for his endeavouring to obtain official approval for the issue of motor vehicle licences.

The second charge, against all the accused, was that they gave \$6,000 to Mr. Clunie, while the third charge, also against all accused, was that between May 20 and June 13 they conspired to offer the bribe to Mr. Clunie.

All the accused were represented by Mr. Y. M. Chan, Mr. A. A. Shaw, Assistant Superintendent of Police, conducted the case for the prosecution.

The case is being heard at Central before Mr. J. Reynolds.

Chau Shing-tai, the last of the prosecution witnesses, said that he was the manager of the Jee Lee Corporation at Room 217 China Building. The number of his telephone was 37404.

**Open conversation**

A European by the name of Murphy came to his office several times but did not make use of the telephone. However, on one occasion, in June, Murphy asked Mr. Clunie to use the telephone which was granted.

Murphy told him, witness said, that he was expecting a call at about 12.30 p.m.

At the appointed time the call came through but Murphy was not in. Witness said that he answered the phone and told the party to ring again in five minutes.

Later the call came through again. Murphy answered the phone and had a conversation.

Cross-examined by Mr. Chan, witness said that the conversation was quite open and that he did not pay attention to it.

At this stage hearing was adjourned to 2.30 p.m. today when the defence will open their case.

**TO BE WED**

The forthcoming wedding of Miss Gertie David Mainwaring, M.A., research student, Morrison Hall, Hong Kong University, and Miss Chen Nian-lai of Chengdu, Szechuan, en route to Hong Kong, has been announced.

**Rowell to attend S'pore conference**

Mr. T. R. Rowell, OBE, Director of Education, will sail on the ss. Talara tomorrow for Singapore to attend the annual conference of Directors of Education.

This meeting will be attended by Directors of Education for Borneo, Sarawak, Singapore, Malaya and Hong Kong. The conference will also be attended by Sir Christopher Cox, KCMG, the Secretary of State's Chief Educational Adviser in London.

Mr. Rowell will return to Hong Kong on September 6 accompanied by Sir C. Cox, who will spend some three weeks in the Colony.

Mr. M. G. O'Connor will act in Mr. Rowell's absence.


**ROBBER SUSPECTS COMMITTED**

Three former Water Works Department coolies on five counts of armed robbery and possession of arms and ammunition, were committed to stand trial by Mr. James Wicks at Kowloon yesterday.

Accused East Yui, Chan Wah-ming, Chan Ying, were all charged with robbing the occupants of an unnumbered bus of Castle Road of \$5,000 in cash and two gold rings on July 17, while the last two defendants were additionally charged with robbing Park Fat, proprietor of a weaving factory of \$85, a watch, and fountain pens in Old Tai Po Road on July 7.

Detective Sub-Inspector A. Leslie is in charge of the prosecution's case.

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## POLICE NOTICE

On Saturday, August 5,  
1950, at 10.10 p.m. at junction  
of Argyle Street and  
Prince Edward Road, a Chinese  
male, Lui Ping Mui, age  
21 years, riding a bicycle was  
knocked down by bus No.  
4683 and received fatal in-  
juries.

Any persons witnessing the  
accident, or who can give in-  
formation regarding the acci-  
dent are asked to communicate  
with Traffic Office, Kowloon,  
Telephone Numbers 50735,  
58629 and 59114, or with any  
other Police Stations.

COMMISSIONER OF  
POLICE.

August 18, 1950.

## POLICE NOTICE

On Friday, August 11, 1950,  
at 2.20 p.m. at Castle Peak  
Road near Ping Shan Land  
Office 3 Chinese Females,  
namely Li Lai Chun, 15  
years, Lau Chi Kam, age 18  
years and Lau Ting Fong, age  
22 years were knocked down  
by military lorry No. A 12593  
and received fatal injuries.

Any persons witnessing the  
accident, or who can give in-  
formation regarding the acci-  
dent are asked to communicate  
with Traffic Office, Kowloon,  
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COMMISSIONER OF  
POLICE.

August 18, 1950.

## POLICE NOTICE

On Saturday, August 12,  
1950, at 5.55 p.m. at Prince  
Edward Road near entrance  
of Prince Hotel, a Chinese  
male, Chan Sing, age 40 years,  
fell off from lorry No. 6254  
and received fatal injuries.

Any persons witnessing the  
accident, or who can give in-  
formation regarding the acci-  
dent are asked to communicate  
with Traffic Office, Kowloon,  
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COMMISSIONER OF  
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August 18, 1950.

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NO. 33 OF 1950

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August 24, 1950.

U.S. medal for  
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Tokyo, August 23.  
Wing Commander L. T.  
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the Australian Mustang  
squadron in Japan, was de-  
corated with the American  
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ant-General George E. Strate-  
meyer, Commanding General  
of the U.S. Far East Air Force,  
only a few minutes after he  
had returned from flight over  
Korea yesterday.

General Stratemeyer met Wing  
Commander Spence at the  
squadron's Japanese base as he  
stepped from his aircraft on re-  
turning from a day's bombing and  
strafing of enemy positions.

The citation read by General  
Stratemeyer spoke of Wing Com-  
mander Spence's outstanding  
qualities as leader of the squadron  
of the Royal Australian Air Force  
which has done an excellent job  
in their attacking role.  
General Stratemeyer said he  
was proud of their achievements.  
—United Press.

## APOLOGY.

We, the undersigned JUDY  
LYM and RENEE LYM of No.  
170 Kiukiang Street, second  
floor, Kowloon, admit having  
made allegations that MRS.  
TERRY J. OSTERMAN had  
stolen our mother's Diamond  
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sion we now fully admit that  
such allegations were without  
foundation and unreservedly  
withdraw the same. In view  
of our past friendship with  
Mrs. Osterman, we desire to  
apologise publicly in this man-  
ner to her for any unpleasant-  
ness or inconvenience which  
may have been caused to her  
and in particular for the in-  
cident at Kai Tak Airfield on  
Saturday, July 29, 1950, when  
her departure for the U.S.A.  
was delayed.

RENEE M. LYM.  
JUDY M. LYM.

August 23 1950.

## NOTICE

GOVERNMENT  
OF HONG KONG

## MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

## REMINDER

All registered nurses who  
are not in Government service  
are reminded that their names  
will be excluded from the  
nurses register if the reten-  
tion fee of \$2 is not paid be-  
fore the end of September,  
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I. NEWTON,  
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Hong Kong, August 22, 1950.

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KMT charges  
of Soviet  
aggression

Taipei, August 23.  
The National Cabinet has  
named a powerful delegation  
to present long-standing  
charges of Soviet aggression  
against China at the United  
Nations General Assembly in  
September.

This alleged aggression will be  
depicted as a violation of both  
the UN Charter and the Sino-  
Soviet Treaty of August, 1945.

The delegation consisting of  
five members, will be headed by  
the 46-year-old Harvard gradu-  
ate, educated Foreign  
Minister, Mr. George Yeh.

It will include a native Tai-  
wanese—the first ever to re-  
present China at an interna-  
tional conference. He is Huang  
Chao Chin, Speaker of the  
Taiwan People's Political  
Council.

The other three members of  
the delegation will be Dr. T.F.  
Tsing, Nationalist China's repre-  
sentative on the Security Coun-  
cil; Dr. P.C. Chang, representa-  
tive on the Economic and Social  
Council; and Dr. Liu Shih-shun  
representative on the Trusteeship  
Council.

The Cabinet also named the  
Finance Minister, Mr. C.K. Yen,  
to represent Nationalist China at  
Paris in September.

It further appointed Yuan  
Shou-chien, Political Vice Minis-  
ter of Defence, to be acting  
Minister of Defence. General Yu  
Ta-wel, who was named Minis-  
ter of Defence when Premier  
Chen Cheng formed his Cabinet  
in March this year, has never  
taken up the post. Yu is still in  
the United States. — Associated  
Press.

Court  
Brevities

Ball of \$1,000 was allowed Mir  
Das, Indian watchman, on a  
charge of assault by Mr. R. W.  
S. Winter at Kowloon yesterday.  
Das is jointly charged with  
two other Indians, Firdos Khan,  
watchman supplier, and Fattah  
Ali Sha, watchman, with assault-  
ing Leung Hon and Lau Kai-  
wing on board the tug Yau Lee  
on August 4.

When they were first charged  
before the court, Das was not  
allowed bail as the complainants  
were in hospital while the others  
were released on \$1,000 bail  
each.

Hearing of the case is provision-  
ally fixed for September 1.  
Inspector March is in charge of  
the case.

Eight Kowloon shops were fined  
by Mr. James Wickes at Kowloon  
yesterday for overcharging and  
for failing to display price tags.  
Mr. H. Pitman, Chief Price  
Control Inspector, prosecuted.

Summoned for obstructing price  
control inspectors in the execu-  
tion of their duty, the prop-  
rietress of the Tak Kee Store,  
78, Canton Road, Li Siu, was  
fined \$150, while the shop was  
fined \$75 overcharging on a  
pound of sugar.

Other shops fined were: The  
Zenith Store, 17-E Chatham  
Road, \$20; Fat Ching Cheung,  
610 Shanghai Street, \$150; Chin  
Chin Company, 259-E Temple  
Street, \$20; Kam Sing Store, 42  
Ngai Tai Wai Road, \$150; King  
Kee, South Wai Road, \$75; Jo-  
dan Store, 25 Wai Ching Street,  
\$20; X Store, 2 Street, \$20.

The Dollar Trading Company,  
46 Jordan Road, received a caution  
for overcharging.

How Did San Francisco get so close?

At 5 miles a minute to PALDCS in Pacific  
Ocean, you'll see San Francisco in 10 minutes.  
PAL service you'll see San Francisco in 10 minutes.  
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Ocean, you'll see San Francisco in 10 minutes.  
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Philippine Airlines

Red colonel  
surrenders

Korea Waterfront,  
August 22.  
A 27-year-old commander  
of a North Korean artillery re-  
giment walked up to South  
Korean lines with a white flag  
and surrendered.

He is the highest ranked enemy  
in Allied hands.

The Communist Lieutenant  
Colonel said, "I don't want to see  
all Korea run the way the Com-  
munist now run North Korea. I  
don't like the way they treat  
human beings."

He crossed the lines alone near  
Tabu, 11 miles North of Taegu.

Neatly clad in black boots and  
khaki uniform with red piping  
and a field cap bearing a red star,  
the officer was a polite, cheerful  
and obliging prisoner.

He pinpointed the position of  
his 22 artillery pieces in an apple  
orchard. Plans to bombard them  
immediately. — Associated Press.

Sino-British  
Orchestra

The Sino-British Orchestra  
will hold its first rehearsal this  
season at 6 p.m. on September  
6 in St. John's Cathedral Hall.

Vacancies for players exist in  
all sections of the Orchestra, and  
players of stringed, wood-wind  
or brass instruments are cordially  
invited to join the Orchestra for  
the coming season. It was stated  
yesterday.

The Orchestral Committee, it  
was added, has every confidence  
that all those players who have  
given their services in past years  
will continue to give their sup-  
port to this Symphony Orchestra  
which has contributed, and will  
contribute, to the cultural life of  
the people of Hong Kong.

It is felt, however, that there  
are in Hong Kong many players  
of all nationalities who believe  
that they are either not proficient  
enough, or too impatient to as-  
sume themselves with this organi-  
zation. That is to be regretted;  
and it is hoped that, on September  
6, the musical community of  
Hong Kong will rally together at  
this first rehearsal to find out  
for themselves how far they can  
fit in together to form a first class  
balanced symphony orchestra for  
the coming season.

The conductor is Dr. S. M.  
Bard, 6th floor, Windsor House  
(Tel. 20545), and he will gladly  
discuss the position with any  
prospective players if they will  
contact him.

As in past years, the Orchestra  
will give a series of four public  
subscription concerts in Hong  
Kong and Kowloon (October,  
December, February and April).

PURGE OF FILMS  
IN RED CHINA

San Francisco, August 22.  
Communist China is to ban  
film productions of the "cheap,  
sensational Hollywood type" but  
it will "warmly welcome" what  
Feking Radio tonight described as  
"progressive pictures" from  
abroad.

The Radio said that the Minis-  
try of Cultural Affairs in the  
Chinese capital had promulgated  
five regulations which would  
stimulate the development of  
China's motion picture industry  
and convert film production into  
a powerful medium for educat-  
ing the people.

Government assistance would  
be rendered to China's privately-  
owned film studios whose output  
had been falling steadily during  
the past few months.  
It was expected that as a re-  
sult of the new trend the educa-  
tional value and ideological level  
of Chinese films would be great-  
ly raised, the Radio said. — Reuter.

## CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"Will you just look how far she knocked hers? If that isn't  
beginner's luck!"

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE  
By Shepard Barclay  
"The Authority on Authority"

## BE WILLING TO SPEND

TRUMPS in your hand have  
more value than that of simply  
taking tricks. You must be will-  
ing to spend one or more of them  
occasionally in order to prevent  
your opponent from accomplish-  
ing various things with his cards  
in other suits. This applies par-  
ticularly when a declarer leads  
from an established side suit in  
the dummy, where he has no re-  
sources. It usually will pay you  
to suit such a suit as soon as you  
can, to prevent his getting dis-  
cards on it, even if your own card  
is over-ruffed.

SA 5  
H 3 2  
D 8 7 5  
CA Q 9 5 4 2  
S J 10 8 6  
H A Q J  
D 10 7  
C K 8 7  
SK 9 10 7 3  
HK 5 4  
DAK  
CJ 10

(Dealer: East. North-South vul-  
nerable).  
East South West North  
Pass 1 S 2 H 3 C  
Pass 3 S 4 D 4 S

That was a pretty bad double  
for East, who should have let  
well enough alone, rather than  
take a chance of scoring his op-  
ponents into No Trumps if they  
could stop the red suits. It hap-  
pened that a small slam was  
in the cards for South at No  
Trump, with the black suit fin-  
esses both in working order, and  
all the tricks could have been  
taken if West happened to select  
his heart Q for the opening bid.  
After his spade double, you  
would expect East to do to the

contract whatever damage was  
available to him. But he muffed  
his opportunity.

The diamond J lead was won  
by the K, the spade 3 led to the  
A and the 5 led, the 7 being fin-  
essed when East covered with the  
6. The club J went through, dia-  
mond A was scored, the club 10  
and then the club A was led.  
East should have ruffed, subject  
to an over-ruff, so as to keep  
South over thereafter out of the  
dummy. But he discarded his  
heart 6 and South the heart 4.  
On the club 9 East shed the dia-  
mond Q and South the heart 5.  
Finally on the club 5 East ruffed  
with the spade 8, and the 10  
over-ruffed. Now South led the  
heart 9 to West, whose heart A  
then had to be ruffed by East,  
the latter having only trumps.  
That made only two tricks for  
the defence, as South had the  
spade K and Q for the last two  
tricks.

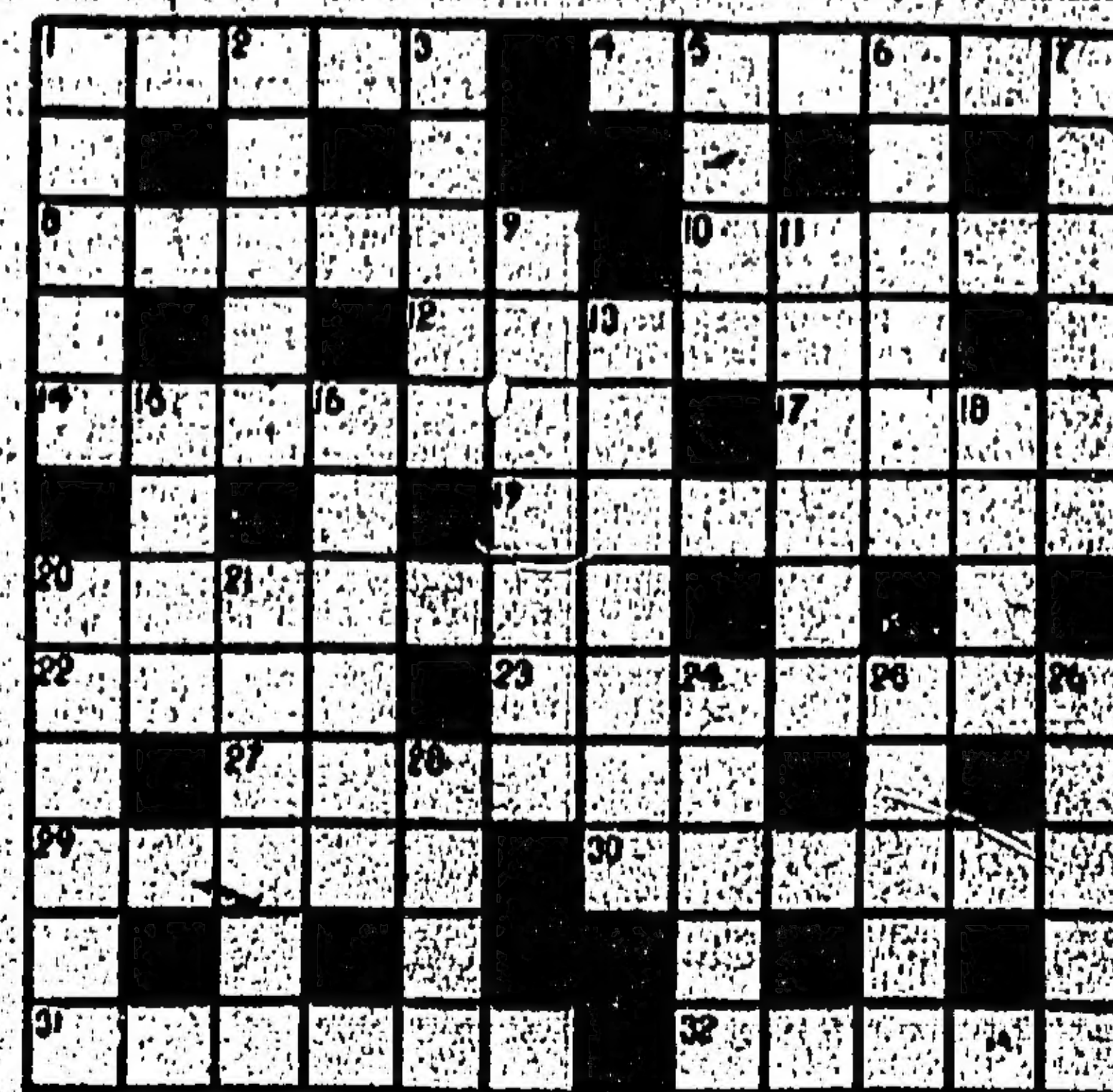
If East had ruffed the club A,  
there would have been no way  
for South to avoid the loss of  
four tricks, whether he over-  
ruffed East then or not.

Tomorrow's Problem  
SA K Q 7 6 4  
H A J 7 5  
D A 4  
C K 4

S J 10  
H 8 3  
D J 8 7 4  
C Q J 10 8  
S 8 5 2  
H K Q 10 4  
D K 6 3  
C 7 6 5

(Dealer: North. North-South  
vulnerable).  
What bidding would you favour  
on this deal after North starts  
with 1 Spade and heart 2 Hearts  
from South?

## A BRITISH CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Across  
1 Skeleton formation.  
4 Furnace-man.  
8 Dissolved.  
10 Equip.  
12 Turning-point.  
14 Subdue.  
17 Valley.  
19 Guided.  
20 Surround.  
23 Clever.  
25 Expunging.  
27 Robber.  
28 Suppose.  
30 Enactment.  
31 Make certain.  
32 Fruit.

Down  
1 Drill.  
2 River-mouth.  
3 Oust.  
5 Hint.  
6 German emperor.  
7 Elongated.  
9 Horseman.  
11 Intervening time.  
13 Sharpener.  
14 Ruler.  
16 Illuminating gas.  
18 Repetition.  
21 Hula.  
22 Lizard.  
24 Personality.  
26 Aligned.  
28 Early bird.  
29 Book of laws.

Yesterday's Crossword  
Across: 1. Adulterate; 2. Hunt;  
3. Parallel; 4. Repetition; 5. Ship;  
6. Scouring; 7. Blowing; 8. 18  
Paw; 9. Quarry; 10. Quail;  
11. Plaster; 12. Arguments;  
13. Down; 14. Chair; 15. Pump; 16.



# COMMUNIST 'PEACE DRIVE' CAUSES POLISH WAR SCARE

London, August 22.

## Housing is important factor

Exeter, August 22. Mr. V. K. Krishna Menon, High Commissioner for India, said here today that housing was one of the factors which would largely determine the future of civilisation.

Laying the foundation stone of the Beacon Pre-Cast Factory for the making of prefabricated houses, Mr. Menon said that war scars were still visible even in the British West Country city. It was unfortunately part of the history of civilisation that human talents were not always exclusively devoted to constructive enterprise.

"In the years that lie before us there are two social factors that will very largely determine the fate of our civilisation," he said. "One is the housing of the people and the other the extension of municipal government."

Unless the masses could be housed there would be no contentment. Some 10,000,000 people in his own country needed homes.

The housing problem, which was not exclusive to India, was aggravated there by mass migration and the tendency of former nomadic people to settle down.

Mr. Menon said that although he had nothing to do with prefabricated buildings he hoped there was no need to be frightened about such modern inventions. Artisans, builders and decorators would find a place in the new system of building.

"So long as we do not pre-empt our thinking and way of life and do not have our minds pre-empt for us by someone else, I do not think that civilisation is in danger," he added.—Reuter.

## Most plainly visible result of the Communist-sponsored peace campaign now being conducted in Poland is the spreading of a war scare among the population.

Information from a number of reliable sources inside Poland indicates that most of the persons who had to sign the peace manifesto concluded that an armed clash between East and West must be near.

More than 12,000,000 Poles already have signed the manifesto which is being taken through the towns and villages like a gigantic popular petition.

Press, radio, party orators, and every other means of publicity are used to convince the people of the aggressive intentions of the West, particularly the United States as "user of the atom bomb" and, in contrast, of the idealistic role of the Soviet Union as "sole guardian and defender of the world's peace."

Even Poles whose historical experience has given them some immunity to Russian propaganda are being considerably influenced by the stimulated war-scare atmosphere, largely because of the overriding concern of Germany. Mass signing of the manifesto, which was drawn up at Communist-sponsored "Peace Congress" in Stockholm last March, was led off in Poland by President Bierut and the members of the Polish Politburo.

**Mass campaign**  
All the various professional groups have been roped in, and all university professors and students, police officials, journalists, and even artists have had to line up and sign. In Warsaw, 4,000 students of the university have been appointed to organise groups of three to go from house to house canvassing signatures.

Polish newspapers make day-to-day report of the manifesto's progress with records of the number of signatures being obtained in the various towns and villages. Absentees are automatically arranged "on the side of the war-mongers" though between the pressure and the appeal of almost any kind of peace call to the weary Poles, the party is drawing few blanks.

A strange assortment of persons have taken to writing letters to the press—schoolboys, miners, factory workers. All extol the manifesto and invariably include a special prayer of gratitude to the Soviet Union for benefits past and future. Propaganda particularly was being during the London Conference, which was called a gathering of "thugs who wish to set the world on fire."

**Soviet design obvious**  
Two Roman Catholic bishops directed members of their dioceses not to sign the manifesto or to take part in the demonstrations. This was denounced by the Polish press as a violation of the terms of the new church-government agreement of April 14. The leading Communist organ "Krytyka Ludu," declared that there is no difference between those two Polish bishops and the German Bishop of Berlin who said prayers for the success of Hitler.

The Soviet design behind this enormous "peace" propaganda drive is, of course, to brand in advance the United States with the name of aggressor and to make the Soviet-ruled nations more tractable by playing on their apprehension of war. Most significant of all is the manner in which propaganda writers and Communist Party speakers frequently attempt to rationalise the situation by declaring that if after all the West does insist on going to war at least it will bring to an end the evil "capitalist" world.

## PI contingent to leave next month

Manila, August 22.

The first contingent of 1,200 Filipino troops who will join the United Nations forces in Korea will probably sail from Manila in early September. It was announced as government officials planned a send-off rally in Luneta Park on September 2.

The battalion combat team, comprising the advance guard of 5,000 men which the Philippine government has offered to the United Nations, is expected to leave a few days after the elaborate ceremony in the plaza facing Manila Bay, at which President Quirino will speak and the Foreign Secretary and United Nations Assembly president, Carlos Romulo, will present UN colours to the troops.

In a special message to Congress yesterday, President Quirino urged the immediate appropriation of 24,000,000 pesos (US\$12,300,000) to defray costs of sending the initial contingent to Korea. Congress may approve the appropriation today, as the extended special session expires at midnight tonight.—United Press.

## EXPLOSION IN URANIUM MINE

Berlin, August 21.

Six engineers—five Germans and a Russian—were killed in a steam explosion at the Wismuth uranium mine at Niederschlag in the Soviet zone, the British-licensed newspaper "Telegraph" reported.

The paper said the blast occurred when the Soviet engineer locked the safety valve of the boiler house after the Germans had refused to "obey" his command to increase steam pressure.—United Press.

## Spender has talks on Asia

Paris, August 22.

Mr. Percy Spender, Australian Minister for External Affairs, has, in the past few days, discussed with French Ministers South Pacific defence, economic aid to South and South East Asia, and France's relations with the Indo-China States.

The talks also concerned the situation generally in Asia. Mr. Spender said last night: "I am not in a position to reveal the details of the discussions, but obviously they touched on matters on which Australia and France have a common interest."

He will follow up the talks in London next month when he attends a meeting of Commonwealth Ministers to work out a scheme of technical and economic aid to South and South East Asia.

Among those with whom Mr. Spender has had talks are M. Jean Letourneau, French Minister for Associated States (Indo-China), and M. Alexandre Dardot, Secretary-General of the French Foreign Office.

At the Hague, where he is due next week-end, Mr. Spender is expected to discuss matters relating to New Guinea—an area Mr. Spender is known to regard as vital to Australia's defence.

His talks at the Hague will last three or four days.—Reuter.

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Nor is the root division one of East or West. Still less is it a matter of delicacy to touch, though the method of approach has always been important, quite irrespective of the Continent. Spikely has often been regarded in the past as a quality in which the "mysterious Chinese" were supreme. There are plenty of examples in the history of the past two decades when it was completely lacking. Nuances do not seem to possess the significance they once claimed in a less turbulent age. The issues lie between two ways of life, nothing less Russian Imperialism in Asia and Communism, and the latter is a more tangible Communist creed to

It presents an impenetrable wall to all rivals. It is an instrument not for freedom of choice but for its complete suppression.

Almost certainly this will be exposed once more if the Indian proposal that a Committee of six non-permanent members take over the Korean problem. But, while it is necessary to win the battle of propaganda, it will not do itself solving the Korean problem. It has been suggested to force by the agreement, who must be sent back where they came from. The rule of law must be vindicated. And the solution that will follow must bury the country.

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# U.S. ATTACKS RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA TRICKS

## UN Security Council hears outline of the "Big Lie" MALIK'S BITTER WORDS

Lake Success, August 22.

The United States today accused Russia of reading to the United Nations Security Council carbon copies of falsehoods being spread all over the world by misguided minorities who support Communist imperialism. The chief American delegate, Mr. Warren Austin, charged the chief Soviet delegate, Mr. Jacob Malik, with using three major propaganda tricks in an attempt to hoodwink the world about the Korean war. He said these were: "The false label trick, the trick of concealing guilt by accusation, and the trick generally known as the technique of the big lie."

"There is a simple way to expose the false label trick," he added. "When a housewife can her fruits and vegetables in the autumn, she puts a label on each jar before storing it."

"Let us examine the jar placed before this Council a few days ago by the Soviet representative. He told the Council: 'After provoking this conflict and seeing that the political regime of Syngman Rhee was collapsing, the United States resorted to open intervention—here comes the trick label—such are the irrefutable facts and the United States representative is not in a position to deny them.' However, I am in a position to open that falsely-labeled jar and let the world see what is inside—apple sauce."

Mr. Austin then turned to the trick of "concealing guilt through accusation." He said: "A typical example of this trick, of course, is that of the thief who, in running away from the policeman, cries Stop Thief at an honest man ahead of him to confuse pursuers. This is the trick that has been employed in an effort to prove the North Korean invaders have merely been protecting themselves from attack."

Of the "big lie" technique, Mr. Austin said: "A widespread theory is that if the propagandist will not tire of repeating an assertion, no matter how preposterous, he can make it stick in many minds. This is easier to do if one is allowed to contradict the propagandist and contradict him with the facts. But here in the United Nations, we can confront him with the facts. In his speech at the last meeting of the Council, the Soviet delegate referred several times to the aggression of which the United States is guilty against Korea. This statement of aggression has been repeated over and over through every Soviet-inspired channel on earth. It is a lie. It is the 'big lie'."

### Britain's warning

Before Mr. Austin spoke, Britain warned the Council that Russia's propaganda for peace in Korea is itself part of the very preparation for aggression.

Russia had charged that the United Nations war effort in Korea was nothing more than a colossal international bluff used to cover American aggression. Mr. Malik made the charge as he started another denunciation of the United States and her Western partners in the Security Council.

Referring to statements made before the Council by Mr. Austin, Mr. Malik said: "The representative of the United States tried to show that this is a United Nations crusade in Korea. Who cannot see that all this talk about United Nations forces is nothing more than a colossal international bluff which has been utilized during the last few weeks by the United States ruling circles? The representative of the United States is not going to fool anyone by this bluff, which long ago was unmasked by Russia and other leading governments."

Shortly before the meeting was called to order, Sir Bengal Rau of India announced that he would not introduce today his "peace plan" calling for the creation of a six-member committee of the Council's non-permanent members to seek a solution for the Korean conflict.

Mr. Malik told the Council: "This is a colonial war against the freedom-loving peoples of Asia and it is now being termed an innocent police action of the United Nations. No one believes this... the United States has tried to say that the American people but troops of the United Nations are fighting. This can be believed only by children, for everybody knows that it is armed intervention and United States military aggression under the order of Truman and the command of General MacArthur."

"No tag or title of the United Nations, no United Nations flag, regardless of how many are sent, can hide this brutal, aggressive invasion by American troops. The Anglo-American bloc is afraid of losing its political and military mastery over the Soviet countries of the East. Soviet are underdeveloped only as a result of the imperialist exploitation of the colonial powers."

"That is the only reason why the United States is participating in this war."



WARREN R. AUSTIN  
"It's apple sauce"

## French to send force to Korea

Paris, August 22.

The French Government decided today to send ground troops to Korea.

The Cabinet decided to place an infantry battalion at the disposal of the United Nations.

The unit, between 800 and 1,000 strong, will be specially formed by the National Defence Ministry.

(The decision was taken at a Cabinet meeting held under the chairmanship of the President, M. Vincent Auriol.

The Minister of Information, M. Albert Gazier, said that the battalion would be armed with all the usual infantry weapons, including machine-guns and light cannon.

It would consist of professional soldiers, from whom many requests to be posted to such a unit had already been received at the Defence Ministry.

Today's decision follows the French Government's announcement three weeks ago that the sloop La Grandiere was joining the United Nations naval forces off Korea.

(The American State Department in Washington on August 18 announced formal acceptance by the United States of offers from Britain, Australia, New Zealand and Turkey to send troops to Korea to serve under United Nations Command.)

(Acceptances of offers from Thailand and the Philippines was announced earlier last week.)

In Brussels, unofficial reports said Belgium will send 1,000 volunteers and that final announcement would be made by the Cabinet on Friday.

At Copenhagen, Denmark offered to place another of her ships at the disposal of the UN Korean force to go with the fully equipped hospital ship offered the Allied cause four days ago. —Reuter and Associated Press.

## RED AEROPLANES OVER TIBET

Taipei, August 22.

A Nationalist military spokesman confirmed today that Chinese Communist reconnaissance planes had occasionally been seen over Tibet making surveys.

He offered no prediction as to whether there would be an early invasion which, however, was expected momentarily.

The Central News said the Communists were building five airfields on the Fukien coast for heavy bombers. —United Press.

## CZECH OILFIELD FIRE CONTINUES

Vienna, August 22.

Austrian oil experts said today that the gigantic fire in the Malacky fields in Slovakia was still burning and probably would not be extinguished for another week.

The fields are in the Soviet zone, about 48 miles East of Vienna. —United Press.

## Sir Owen Dixon admits defeat on Kashmir issue

Karachi, August 22.

Sir Owen Dixon, United Nations Mediator, tonight reported that he had failed to solve the Kashmir problem.

In his first public statement on his discussions with the Governments of India and Pakistan, Sir Owen related how he had worked out a series of detailed proposals and invited the two Prime Ministers (Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan of Pakistan and Pandit Nehru of India) to meet him at New Delhi on July 20 where he explained his proposals.

The meeting lasted four or five days during which the proposals were fully discussed.

"The discussions covered the possibility of modifying or varying the proposals in some particular and I threw out suggestions of other alternatives directed to securing the holding of an overall plebiscite, but it became increasingly evident that my proposals did not contain or suggest a solution which the Prime Minister of India for himself was able to accept."

Sir Owen said in a 1,000-word review of his discussions with the Governments of India and Pakistan. "No plan or suggested measures were put forward by either of the parties and at length the two Prime Ministers and I agreed that there was no hope of any agreement being reached upon measures preparatory for an overall plebiscite."

Sir Owen said that no difference of opinion existed on the view that the possibility of an agreement being reached on the necessary conditions, including demilitarisation of the State, which must exist before a general plebiscite, could be held—had been exhausted.

At this stage, Sir Owen had suggested an alternative solution. "It is that wherever the desires of the inhabitants are in favour, territory should be partitioned between India and Pakistan in accordance with those desires, due regard being given to geographical, economic, topographical, and demographic considerations."

"Where the desires of the people are uncertain, plebiscites should be held for the purpose of ascertaining them and voting would be confined to that limited area."

Sir Owen remained in Delhi until August 2 and ascertained that India would be prepared to consider a settlement on the lines suggested.

On reaching Karachi, Sir Owen found that the Government of Pakistan continued to stand upon the agreed resolutions of the United Nations Commission specifying an overall plebiscite as the manner of settlement.

Sir Owen continued, "They were unwilling to enter upon a conference which had for its purpose the discussion of the possibility of settling the matter by partition and limited plebiscite. Even if otherwise it might have been possible to arrange an out-and-out partition without any plebiscite, it was evident that both parties would in that event insist upon having the vote of Kashmir."

"This fact I expressly confirmed with both parties. Neither Prime Minister considered that any purpose could be served by another meeting."

Another plan Sir Owen finally offered to prepare a plan for the settlement of the dispute representing a solution which, in his judgment, should now be adopted and offered to submit a conference at which he would produce this plan for acceptance or rejection.

"In the result it became futile to call a further conference. With reference to one matter, the view that I adopted and that upon which India stood differed so much that I dropped the proposal to produce a plan of my own."

In conclusion, Sir Owen phrased the Governments and peoples of Pakistan and India for their courtesy, consideration, and kindness to him, and referred again to the failure of both Governments to produce any proposal of their own to settle the dispute. "Notwithstanding this, I am unwilling to suppose that after all the examination which the problem has received the Governments will be unable to resolve it by negotiation. I trust they will."

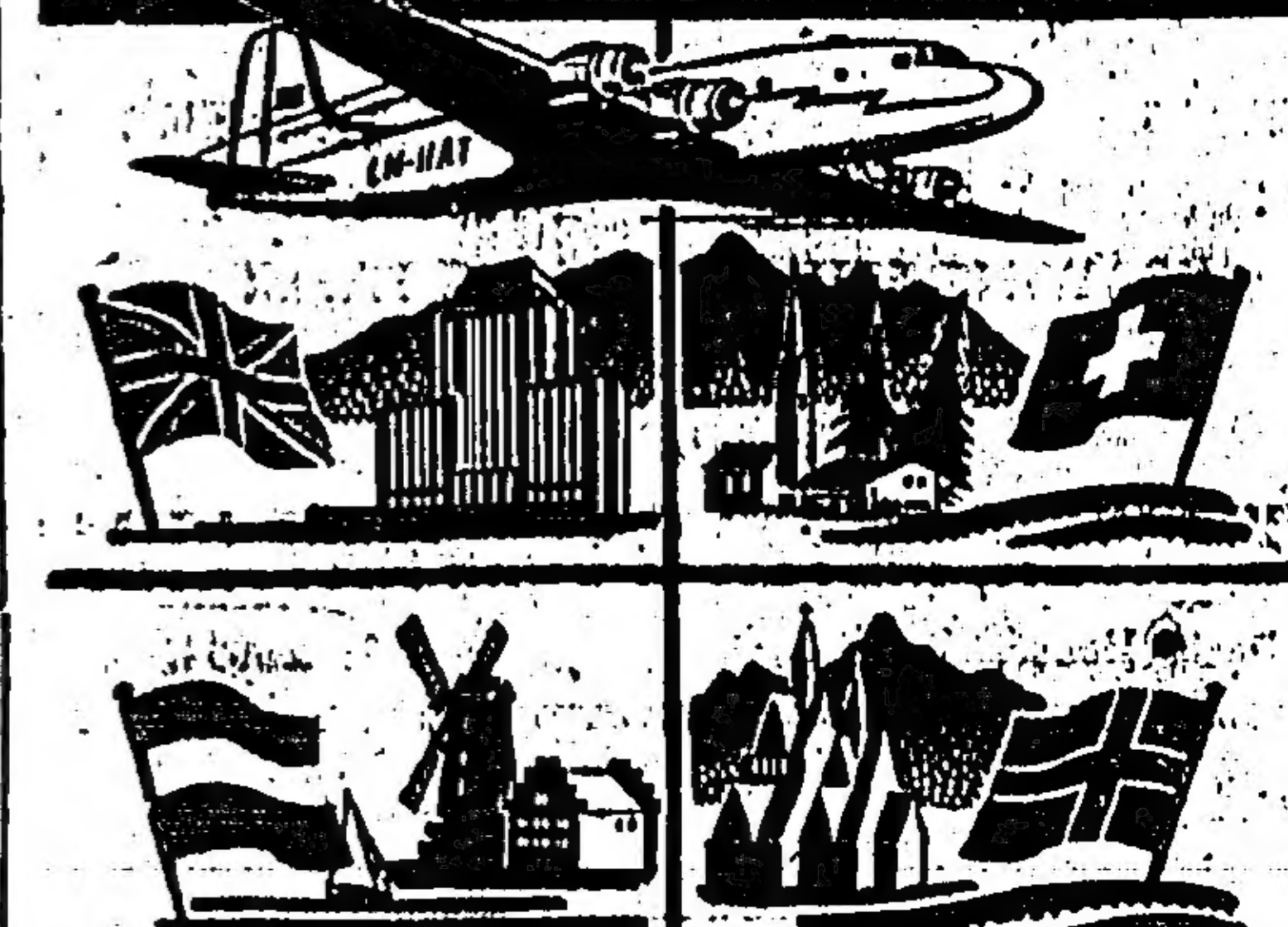
Sir Owen is to leave for Lake Success tomorrow to report the failure to the Security Council. He said that, although he had not been offered plans, measures or proposals, he held the hope that sovereignty over the province could be settled.

In announcing that he had been unsuccessful in settling the three-year-old dispute between India and Pakistan over Kashmir, Sir Owen said he would leave by plane for Lake Success because no purpose could be served by his remaining in India any longer. —Reuter and United Press.

Colombo, Ceylon, August 22.

Extra police guards were stationed at an airport near here today when Captain Raymond "Turco" Westwelling passed through in a British Overseas Airways plane on his way from Singapore to London.

Captain Westwelling did not leave the airport. —Reuter.



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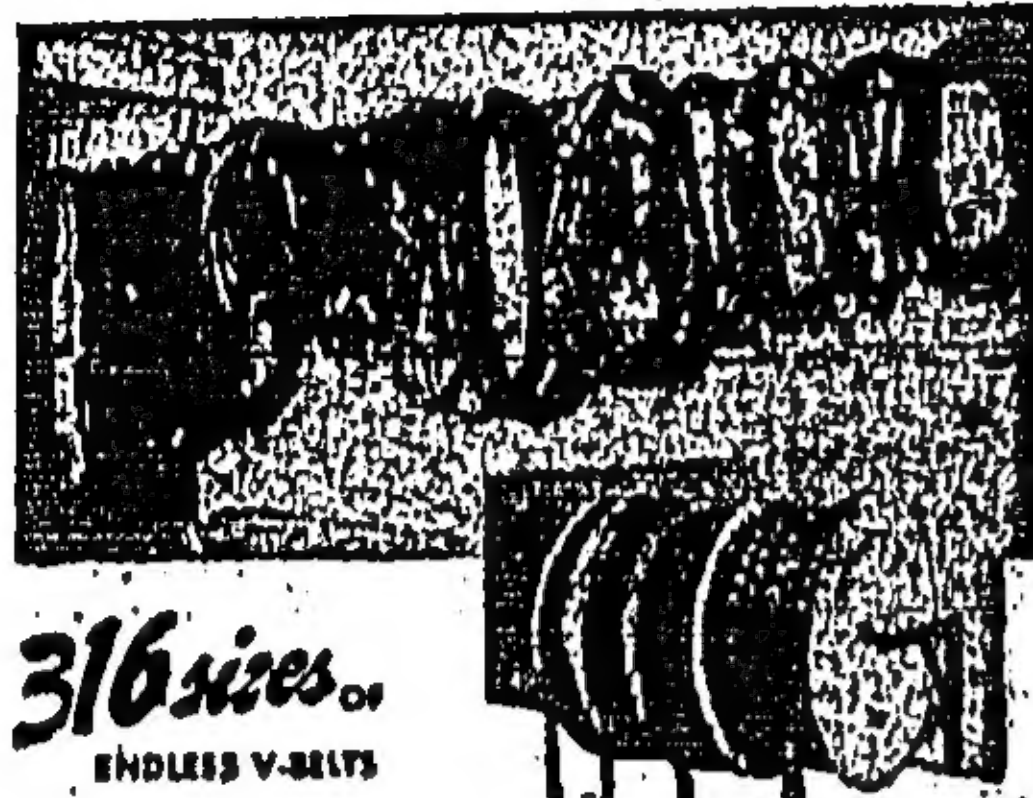
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## ENGINEERING PAGE

## British earth-flatteners, removers and replacers

In 1934 two famous firms united. Pioneers in the road roller field, both with an international reputation in their respective spheres and each dating back to the early Victorian period, Aveling and Porter of Rochester, Kent, and Barford and Perkins of Peterborough amalgamated their interests and formed a single trading concern.

Today, that firm, Aveling-Barford Ltd. of Grantham is the biggest producer of rollers in the world, and is responsible for 80 per cent of Britain's total of rollers.

## Checking slip gauges

One of the main pieces of equipment used in many standard rooms for checking slip gauges and other high precision end-measuring gauges is a level comparator designed several years ago at Britain's National Physical Laboratory. The advantage of this apparatus is that it is suitable for small slip gauges and for measuring long rods. It has a magnification of 20,000:1.

The range and accuracy of this equipment have now been increased by the use of an electromagnetic head (supplied by Taylor, Taylor and Hobson Limited, Leicester, England) in place of the original highly sensitive spirit level. Magnification has been increased to 40,000:1 and the range of error that it will now measure is 0.000125 inch (3 x 10<sup>-4</sup> centimetre). It is possible, however, to adjust the equipment in such a way that its sensitivity is halved, while its range is doubled.

The instrument enables a gauge to be compared with one of a known length to within an accuracy of plus or minus 0.000001 inch (25 x 10<sup>-6</sup> centimetre), and the accuracy of repetition is within half of this. The instrument has a linear characteristic over its working range which simplifies the taking of readings.

Sensitivity of the equipment increases with rises in temperature due to the decrease in the air gaps between the armature and stator of the electrical head. The temperature sensitivity coefficient between 17 and 20 degrees Centigrade was found to be -0.5 per cent per degree Centigrade, so that if the apparatus is used at a temperature which is 1 degree Centigrade different from that at which it was calibrated, an error of only half a millionth of an inch (1.5 x 10<sup>-6</sup> centimetre) would occur in comparing two gauges that differed from one another by 100 millionths of an inch (2.5 x 10<sup>-4</sup> centimetre) which is negligible.

As manufacturers of mechanical rollers, steam and diesel driven, they realised that in their business as earth-flatteners they might also embark on the task of earth removers and replacers.

Thus it was that in 1937 the firm added a new product to their range—a three cubic yard dumper, designed for the quick transportation of earth or other loose material over unmade ground.

A feature of the machine is a patented power tipping device which application of the brakes on the front wheels tips the body for discharge of the load.

A large dumper with a capacity of 4½ cubic yards, has power supplied by a four-cylinder diesel engine driving through a gearbox giving four speeds, both forward and reverse.

A useful feature of the design is a patent reversible driving seat enabling the driver to swing round, with steering wheel, accelerator, brake and clutch pedals, and steer with equal facility in either direction of travel.

This feature enables the machine to conform with the British Road Traffic Act, so that it can legally be operated on the highway.

## Four-wheel drive

The largest vehicle of the dumper type is a rear tipping vehicle, powered with a 128 h.p. diesel engine giving four-wheel drive and having a load capacity of about 15 tons.

The war made most people familiar with bulldozers and other earth-removing machines which in an incredibly short time level off ground or other rough surfaces. A very small edition of these huge machines is the Aveling-Barford Calldozer track-laying type, fitted with an 8 h.p. petrol engine, and with an overall length of 8ft. 6in., height of 8ft. 4in. and forward speed of 1.50 m.p.h.

Weighing 29 cwt., and with an earthpushing blade of 4ft. 6ins., this useful small machine has provision for left or right-hand angle-doing. The hinged cutting edge of the blade is Stellite tipped, and renewable to give long wearing qualities.

As the world's largest producers of rollers the firm have kept abreast of road construction ever since, in 1868, Thomas Aveling decided that engine power could be utilised to move a heavy roller over a roadway and thereby consolidate the material used for building the road.

Today road constructors use diesel-engined rollers. But in many countries, where diesel fuel is not readily available and coal or wood can be used for firing, there is a ready demand for the firm's steam-roller.

But the main incidence of manufacture centres round the

production of diesel-driven road-rollers. There are 11 types, from the GA with weight, in working order of 3,300 ballasted lb., rolling a width of 4ft. and having a forward and reverse speed of 2.25 and 5 m.p.h., up to the largest size, the GDM, with ballasted working weight of 34,750 lbs., and rolling a width of 6ft. 4in.

## No glamour

There is no glamour about a mechanically-driven roller. Purely utilitarian, it is intended for making smooth "lines of communication." But that does not mean that Aveling-Barford design ignores the "new look" if that term can be applied to a road-roller.

The lot of the driver, for instance, is now a happier one than when he was fully exposed to elements. The larger roller machines made at Grantham include a protective canopy, or a fully-enclosed comfortable cab with glass all round and excellent visibility. There is, too, high-class exterior finish in glossy enamel.

A feature of the rollers is a moveable weight to secure equal pressure on front and rear rolls. Roller mounted, the weight is easily moved to the desired position by means of the engine crank handle.

An important point that will appeal to engineering operators is that all these Aveling-Barford machines are built to fit, thus ensuring precision manufacture with complete interchangeability of parts, and greatly simplifying the provision of spares.

An interesting feature of the design is car-type steering, power-assisted, and giving almost "finger spin" operation. There is also a hydraulically-operated scissor, and if desired the GC and GD rollers can be fitted with the Vulcan Sinclair Fluidrive coupling, a familiar feature on Daimler cars and commercial vehicles. Fluidrive provides a degree of flexibility in the transmission which makes for smooth operation and protection from shocks, and lengthens the life of the transmission.

Every roller is tested over a works road with a gradient of 1 in 4½.

## UNITED STEEL OUTPUTS

A most interesting publication is the "Review of Progress 1949" which has been printed by the United Steel Companies, Ltd., for distribution among its employees.

It shows the contributions of the various works in the group to the total of 2,000,000 tons of steel produced in a year, nearly three times the quantity made in 1949.

## Production centre for cotton

The opening of a Production Centre in Salford, Lancashire, by Lord Derby recently, merits attention as significant of the "new thought" in scientific production which is leavening the old, and, in many ways, traditionally-minded Lancashire cotton industry.

This new building, achieving much that is new and unusual in industrial thought and design, houses the central control and co-ordination point of the Manchester, England, spinning and manufacturing firm of Richard Haworth and Company, Ltd., replacing old mills destroyed by enemy action in 1940.

Central feature of the Production Centre is an Operations Room, set up to control the flow of production. Here, statistical information will reveal variances from planned standards in production and forewarn of "bottlenecks" and shortages. Round this room are grouped all departments—reception and display, production, planning and control, fabric design and development, accounts, administration, operational statistics, quality control, research and machine research.

Experiments carried out in outlying mills of the company are embodied in the new venture—sprayed asbestos ceilings, first installed for noise abatement in the weaving shed; double glazing to control temperature and eliminate condensation.

This company reports cloth production figures at the highest level in its history—due to purchase of automatic machines and improvements to existing ones; adjustments of staff organisations; the intelligent combination of men and machines and avoidance of waste in all its forms.

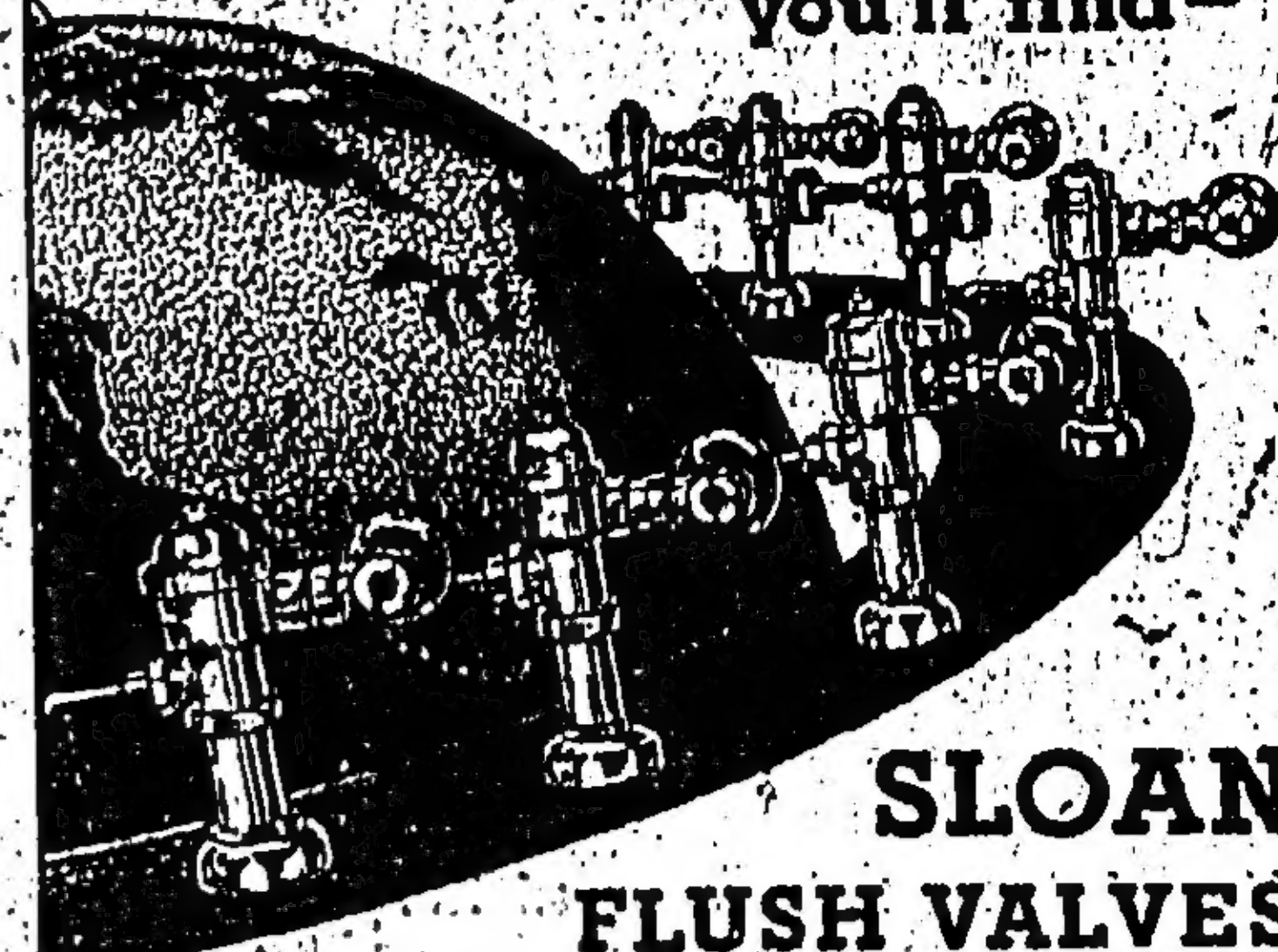
## NEW TANKER JETTY

The 3,200ft. tanker jetty to be built in Southampton Water for the new Anglo-American oil refinery at Fawley will be used by some of the world's largest tankers at the rate of about 12 a week.

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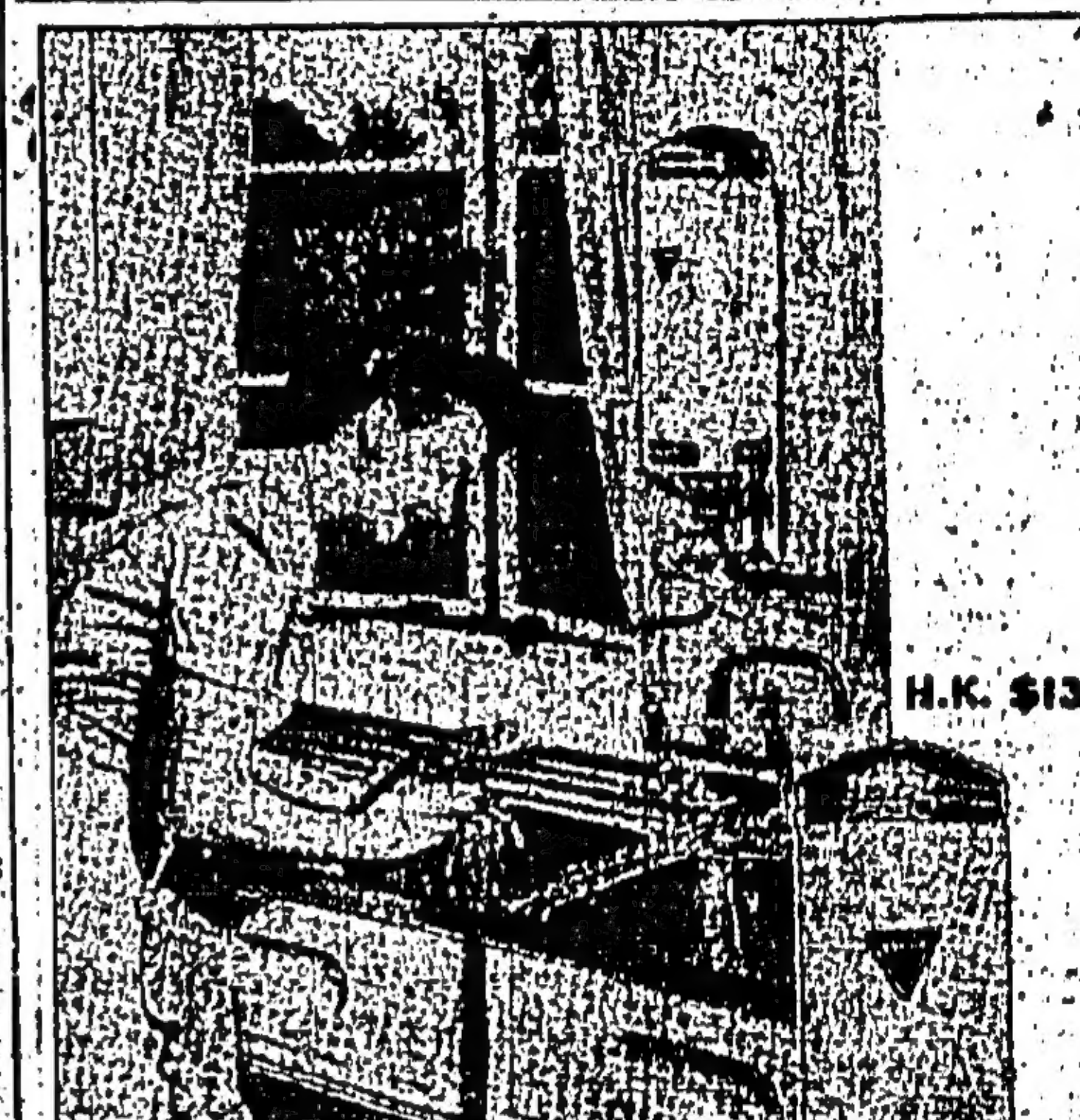


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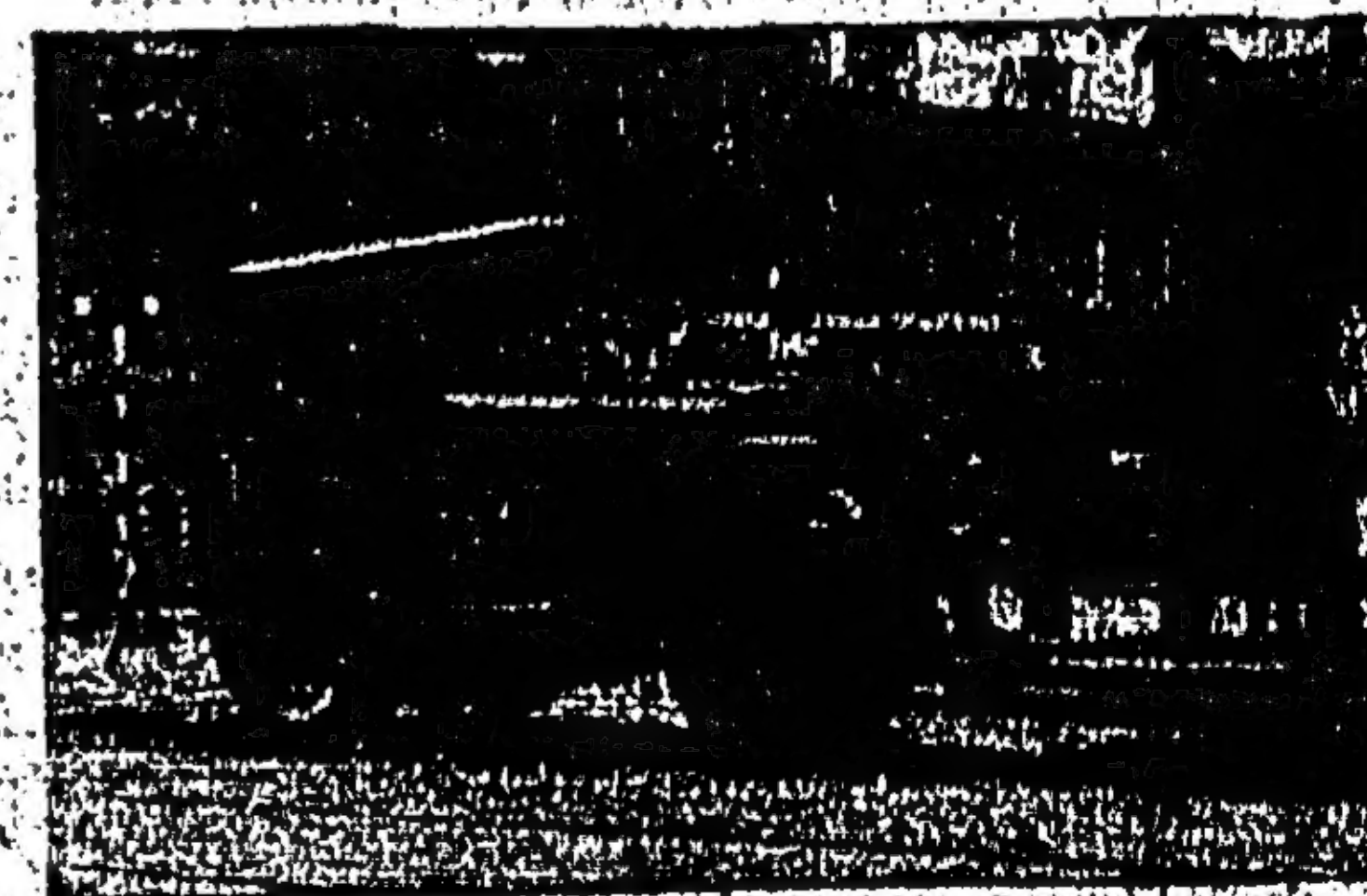
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# BONN LEADERS WANT ESTABLISHMENT OF WEST GERMAN ARMY

## "Guardian" hails Jap attitude

London, August 22. The Liberal Independent "Manchester Guardian" welcomed today a statement of Japan's support for the United Nations in Korea.

"The danger in Korea is that the affair will come to be regarded by Asians who swallow Communist propaganda as a struggle between Asia and the West," the newspaper said in an editorial.

"Support for the Security Council by an Asian country like Japan is therefore welcome."

"By backing the Democrats, the Japanese government doubtless hopes to be regarded as itself Democratic and thus eligible for promotion to fully recovered freedom."

"The best aid which Japan can give the United Nations is to conduct its government in such a way that it does not become a moral liability to the Western powers which are protecting it."

"Taking preventive measures against Communist conspirators is one thing. Re-establishing the police state is another. Mr. Yoshida's government must do better than that of President Elpidio Quirino or the Emperor Bao Dai."—Associated Press.

## EUROPE DEFENCE DISCUSSIONS

London, August 22. The North Atlantic Treaty Deputies at a Council meeting today resumed work on plans to accelerate the strengthening of the overall defences of the North Atlantic area, an official communiqué stated tonight.

The communiqué said, "The North Atlantic Council Deputies, having adjourned on August 4, 1950, to permit each Deputy to consult with his Government, today reconvened at Lancaster House."

"The Deputies resumed their consideration of various measures to accelerate the strength of the overall defences of the North Atlantic area, including steps to increase effective military forces, the production of equipment, especially items of high priority and the financial means for these purposes."

"The Deputies will continue their meetings until early September, adjourning in time for the meeting of the North Atlantic Council in New York in mid-September."—Reuter.

## TYPEWRITERS FOR TITO

Ancona, August 22. A high police official said here today he believed that dozens of typewriters, which were recently stolen in Ancona, were being shipped to Yugoslavia.

He added that the recent well-organised crop of thefts of typewriters coincided with an increase in secret traffic from this Adriatic port to the Yugoslav coast.

He said it was known that typewriters were difficult to buy in Yugoslavia.—Reuter.

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Bonn, August 22.

Government parliamentary leaders agreed unanimously today that a West German army should be mobilised against threats of Russian aggression, and turned to the Western allies for approval.

An agreement reached between Chancellor Konrad Adenauer and floor leaders of his three-party coalition government virtually guarantees parliamentary backing for a proposed 60,000-man force capable of rapid expansion. But the final approval rests with the Western allies.

Herr Adenauer proposed to the allies that a 60,000-man force be built up unless allied reinforcements are available to match the 250,000-man East German police force.

The three parliamentary leaders who backed the Chancellor's proposal, control 209 of the 402 votes in the lower house.

Adenauer's argument centred around the idea of having a German force—if the allies could not supply the necessary reinforcements—big enough to neutralise the East German police force, which in one year's time is expected to be 15 divisions strong.

The three parliamentary chiefs, Heinrich von Brentano, of the Chancellor's Christian Democrats, Herman Schaefer, of the Free Democrats, and Hans Muehlenfeld, of the German Party, had a three-hour session with Adenauer today.

Afterwards von Brentano said: "We reached basic agreement with the Chancellor on every subject we discussed."

### Big item

The West German army was the big item on their agenda. Adenauer summoned the three men from Strasbourg, where all serve in the Assembly of the Council of Europe, to go over all aspects of Mr. Winston Churchill's European army project, which calls for German participation on a basis of equality. Von Brentano, explaining the government's viewpoint, said: "We certainly are convinced that a German troops contingent is necessary, but we also still cling to our conditions that only in a European army, under European political leadership, can we think of the establishment of German troops. One of the main prerequisites is equal rights for soldiers and officers of all nations."

Also stressing the equality theme, Muehlenfeld said: "In any sense, it is impossible that we supply the infantry and others the muscle." Von Brentano was optimistic about finding volunteers for the German force: "If our conditions are fulfilled."—United Press.

## ROCKET PROJECT EXPERT ARRESTED

Washington, August 22. A rocket project expert has been arrested at Denver, Colorado, on charges of violating the atomic energy act, the Federal Bureau of Investigation announced here today.

The Director of the FBI, Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, said that the man was Sanford Laurence Simons, aged 28, employed at the University of Denver and now assigned to an Army rocket project in that area. Formerly connected with the Los Alamos (New Mexico) atom bomb project Simons was accused of having taken "an extremely valuable piece of plutonium" away from the project.

Mr. Hoover said that the plutonium, a highly fissionable material, had been recovered by FBI agents at Simons' home, where it was found in a glass vial buried under his house.—Reuter.

## Death rate in England low in '48

London, August 22.

The death rate in England and Wales in 1948 was the lowest ever recorded, but the cancer toll is increasing.

The Registrar General's statistical review of the year published here shows deaths at 463,645, a rate of 11 per thousand of the civilian population and a decrease of 46,046 on the previous year. Previous lowest rate was 11.4 per thousand in 1930, when deaths numbered 455,427.

Deaths from cancer accounted for 78,432, or 16.9 per cent, compared with 15.1 per cent in 1947 and 13.9 per cent in 1938. Cancer of the respiratory system showed increases for both sexes—9,405 for men and 2,158 for women compared with 1947 figures of 8,003 and 2,019—representing just over half the total increase in cancer mortality.

The number of children who died in 1948 before reaching their first birthday was 28,768, which represents an infant mortality rate of 34 per thousand related live births, compared with 41 per thousand in 1947 and 43 in 1946, and was the lowest recorded in this country up to that time.

It is known that the fall continued during 1949, the provisional rate for that year being 32 per thousand.—Associated Press.

## UK TIN EXPORT TO THE U.S.

London, August 21. Britain exported 2,106 tons of tin worth US\$3,724,000 to the United States during July, the Board of Trade announced today.

The overall figure for all non-ferrous metals and manufactures exported to the U.S. for July was US\$7,580,000. This was more than five times the average for any of the first six months of 1950.

The Board of Trade said exports of chemicals, raw wool and vehicles all showed increases over June and the monthly average of the first half of this year. Total of British exports to the U.S. in July was US\$31,640,000.—Associated Press.

## Ruler takes oath



Nineteen-year-old Crown Prince Baudouin, wearing his new uniform as a Lieutenant-General of the Belgian Army with the crimson sash and star of his only decoration, the Order of Leopold, walks to the throne to take the oath as ruler of Belgium before both Houses of the National Parliament at Brussels. He clutches his sword and cap firmly in his left hand. A dramatic interruption came as Baudouin took the oath when a Communist Deputy sprang to his feet and yelled through cupped hands. (AP Photo).

## N. Korean forces still capable of launching attack

Washington, August 22.

Pentagon sources said today that the North Korean Communists, despite recent heavy losses, are still capable of launching a major attack against the vital United Nations railroad at Taegu.

These sources said six Communist divisions in the battle area are aimed at the rail and road centre, with three others in reserve not far away.

Although elements of two and possibly three Red divisions in the Far South are near the United Nations principal supply port at Pusan, military officials said the force aimed at Taegu is the main Communist threat.

The reason why it is considered so important lies not only in its size but in the value of the objective.

Taegu is the hub of a rail and road network supplying Americans and South Koreans over a wide sector of the central front.

It is linked by a double-track railway with the port of Pusan and the railway ferry from Japan. Sidings are available at Taegu on which trains can be unloaded and engine repairs can be made.

### Quick supplies

The rail and road network of which Taegu is the centre enables American and South Korean forces not only to obtain supplies quickly but to

move their slowly growing reserves rapidly to points that are attacked. Thus the United Nations force can exploit its freedom to move without danger of bombing or strafing by enemy planes.

Loss of Taegu would not only hamper the present movement of United Nations supplies and reinforcements, it would reduce the ability of the United Nations to keep an offensive rolling once it is underway. The double tracked railway from Pusan to Taegu is by far the best line of communications to the heart of the Communist position. The greater the mileage held, the farther an eventual offensive should be able to go without bogging down for lack of petrol and other supplies.

Despite Taegu's importance, however, its fall would not be disastrous to Allied chances of holding its beachhead in Korea and there are many naturally strong defensive positions to the East and South of the communications centre.—Associated Press.

## Belgian Red leader buried

Liege, August 22.

Hundreds of Red flags—many marked with the Hammer and Sickle—hung in the streets of Liege today as the mahogany coffin containing the body of the Belgian Communist leader, M. Julien Lahaut, was carried by overall-clad workers to the Seraling Cemetery.

Thousands of Communists and sympathisers flocked from all parts of the country and from abroad.

Mr. Harry Pollitt, the British Communist leader, who flew from Britain yesterday, expressed the sympathy of the Communists in Britain, "who were shocked and profoundly moved."

Foreign delegates carrying bouquets and wreaths with Red and black ribbons and the Hammer and Sickle walked in the procession. Among them were delegates from Italy, France, Poland, Germany, Sweden, Holland and Switzerland.

Members of the Soviet Embassy in Brussels, representatives of the Italian trade union organisation and Signor Nenni Socialist Party were also present.

Earlier, the Belgian Communist Party organ, Le Drapeau Rouge, frontpaged a telegram from Moscow, saying that the Central Committee of the Communist (Bolshevik) Party of the USSR expressed their condolences to the Belgian Communist Party.

The Examining Magistrate charged with the inquiry into the assassination at Tournai of M. Lahaut, today denied a press report according to which two gunmen, who shot down the Communist leader, had been arrested.

A suspect was arrested last Friday night only a few hours after the murder had been committed. Another suspect was detained yesterday. Although both are still in custody, neither of them has been so far charged.—Reuter.

## "Missing" official turns up

Berlin, August 22.

The search by security police for the "missing" Minister of Thuringia, in the Soviet Zone of Germany, ceased today when Dr. Heinrich Gillieson, the 54-year-old former Minister of Food and Supply, announced his safe arrival in West Berlin as a political refugee.

He is the second holder of his office to flee within one month from the Thuringian Parliament to the West. Dr. Gillieson was a prominent member of the Christian Democrat Party in East Germany. Since 1948, when the Democratic bloc was formed, his Party has co-operated with the Communists.

Many Christian Democrat refugees have explained on their arrival in West Berlin that they had flown now to evade serving under the new Government to be formed in East Germany following the autumn elections.—Reuter.

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## Captured Korean said to have served with Chinese Communists

With U.S. forces in Korea, August 23.  
A North Korean Army Captain—now a prisoner  
of war—said today he served with the Chi-  
nese Communist Eighth Route Army until  
ordered to join the North Korean Red Army  
in July, 1947.

Captain Pak Tong Hyup said he was one of 1,500  
Koreans in the First Regiment of the 166th  
Division of the Chinese Communist Army.  
These Korean soldiers crossed the Yalu River  
into North Korea at Sinuiju in July, 1947.  
Sinuiju is just across the Manchurian border  
in the North Western section of Korea.

Twenty-five-year-old Pak said  
these Northern Koreans, trained  
by the Chinese Reds, were sta-  
tioned on Sinuiju until June 10,  
1950, when they were ordered  
to move down to the 38th  
Parallel, near Kuesong, for the  
invasion of South Korea. Most  
of them, he said, were born  
and raised in Manchuria.

Pak stated that the 194th  
Division of the Chinese Com-  
munist Army had also a regiment  
composed of Koreans only. They  
crossed the Yalu River to join  
the North Korean Army.

## Russian advisors

Pak's regiment had six Rus-  
sian-made tanks and a Russian  
adviser who worked behind the  
lines, the captive said in an  
interview.

Asked who started the war  
Pak said, "We did."

Pak said the North Koreans  
started shooting at 4 a.m. of June  
25.

The Captain said his family  
is in Manchuria where he went  
to school and joined the Chinese  
Red Army after graduating from  
a military academy in Kamsu,  
near the Manchurian-Korean  
Russian border. He said he  
earned his Captaincy in the Chi-  
nese Red Army.

Pak and nine other Reds of  
the Korean Sixth Division were  
captured near Chinju on August  
11 by American troops.

He said he has not been mis-  
treated. Asked why he fought,  
he said, "For unification of the  
Fatherland."

Of five prisoners of war inter-  
viewed, two said they were im-  
pressed into the Red Army in  
Seoul after the fall of South  
Korean capital early in the war.  
One prisoner was 50 years old,  
the other 18.—Associated Press.

Rio De Janeiro, August 21.  
A single engine military plane  
crashed into the sea today near  
Ilha de Paqueta off Rio. The two  
airmen aboard escaped unhurt.  
Earlier reports had described the  
aircraft as a large one and said  
that it had disappeared beneath  
the waves.—Reuter.

Authorities said two sacks of  
unexploded gelignite were found  
nearby. They thought it possi-  
ble that desert Bedouins salvaged  
the explosive from the last war  
battlegrounds near Mersa Matruh  
and were smuggling them into Alex-  
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The casualties were not identi-  
fied.—Associated Press.

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## SECRET WEAPONS OUTPUT

London, August 22.  
The production of secret  
guided weapons is to be  
accelerated in Britain.

The Ministry of Supply an-  
nounced that Air Chief Marshal  
Sir Alec Coryton has been ap-  
pointed to concentrate on co-  
ordinating and accelerating work  
on research, development and  
production.

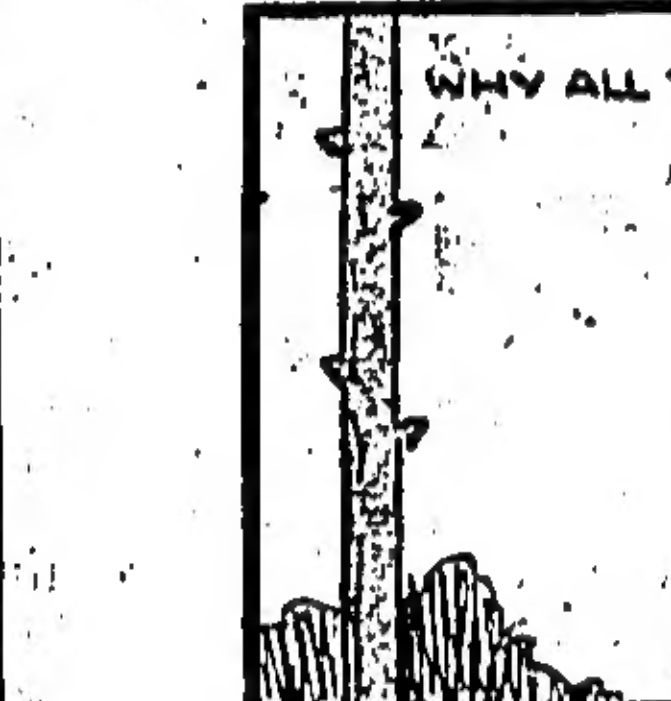
Sir Alec Coryton commanded  
the Third Tactical Air Force in  
South East Asia in 1944.

The few facts made public so  
far about Britain's preparations  
for "push-button" warfare indi-  
cate that they are well advanced.

The Air Force has faster-than-  
sound robot flying models.  
The Navy is well ahead with  
plans to fire guided rockets from  
ships, with far greater range and  
accuracy than naval guns can  
achieve. The wartime developed  
"proximity fuse," causing a shell  
to explode automatically when it  
gets on its target, has been  
developed, so that rockets, shells  
and torpedoes can be radio-  
directed, radar-aimed, automati-  
cally guided and automatically  
exploded.

Experts here say there is at  
present little possibility of send-  
ing the great weight of an atom  
bomb in a rocket carrier, but  
rocket warheads can easily carry  
radio-active products capable of  
contaminating a considerable area.  
—Reuter.

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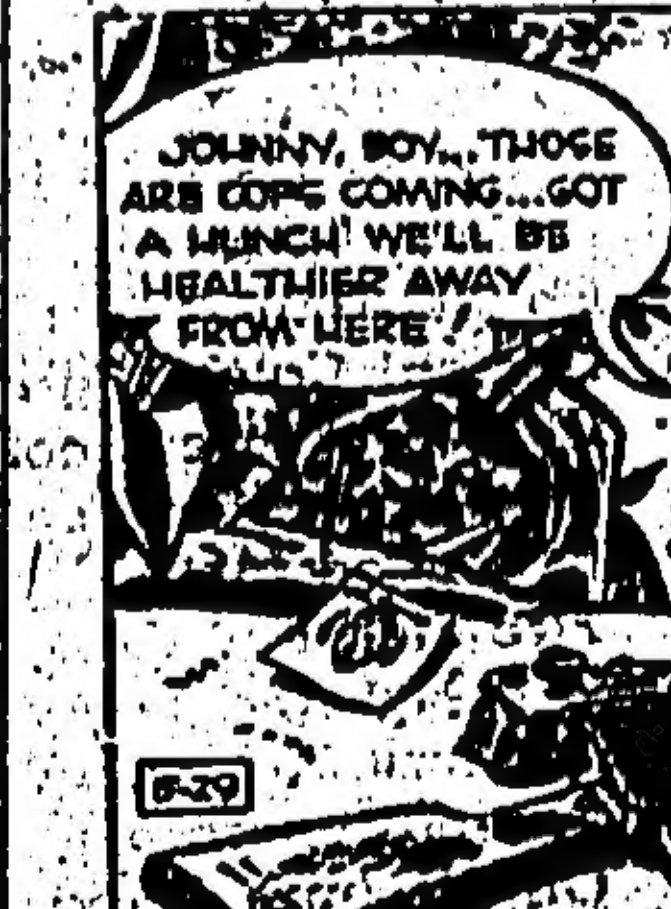
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## NEWEST ATOMIC FURNACE STARTS WORK IN U.S.

New York, August 22.  
The newest and most powerful atomic furnace began operating for the  
first time early today.

It was exactly at 2:30 a.m. (EDT) when the critical size was reached in  
the pile of uranium flux, thereby setting off the chain reaction which  
could "keep the pile going on forever at the Brookhaven National  
Laboratory."

The new pile, the construction  
of which was started after the  
war, is the sixth atomic furnace  
presently operating in the United  
States.

The Atomic Energy Commission  
said it is several times more  
powerful than the atomic energy  
pile in Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

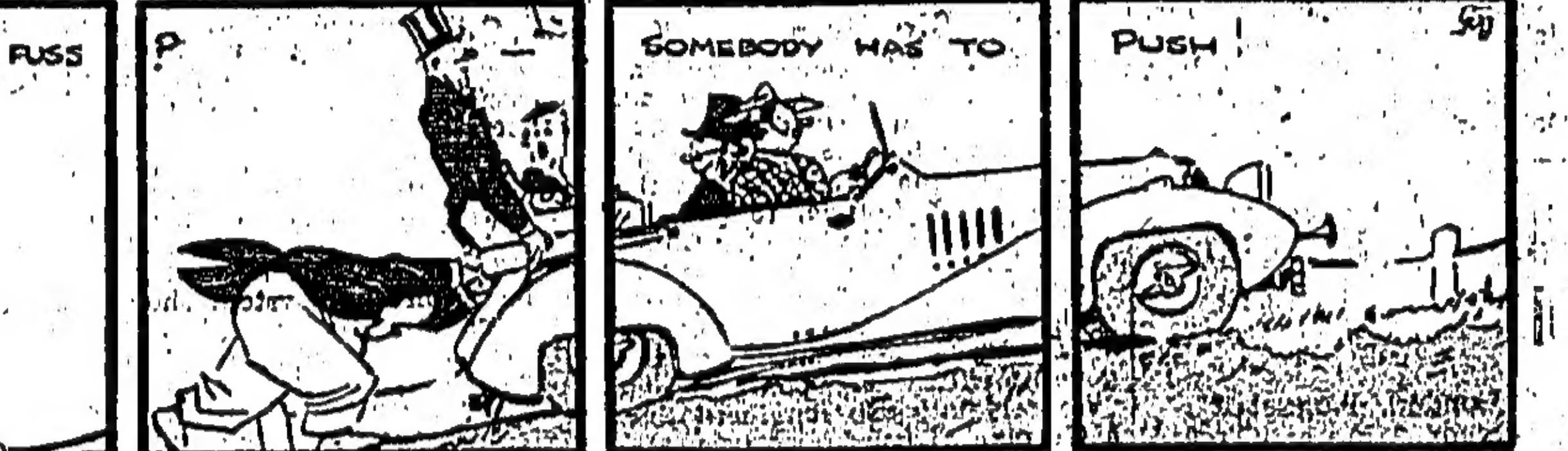
The Brookhaven atomic plant  
is operated by several Eastern  
universities under the direction of  
the United States Atomic Energy  
Commission.

Canada has one, two are locat-  
ed in England, and one is in  
France. It is not known whether  
Russia has an atomic energy pile.  
But it is believed that the Reds  
would have needed one to develop  
the material for an atomic ex-  
plosion.

The Brookhaven pile here is  
designed to produce energy of  
30,000 kilowatts, which, if it could  
be converted, would be enough  
electricity to supply the needs of  
a small town on a 24-hour basis.

When the pile reaches the so-  
called critical size, the chain  
reaction starts automatically, and  
in control devices were not avail-  
able, the chain reaction would  
get out of control and the pile  
would no longer be a pile. It  
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## Crowd reads birth notice



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## IMPORTANT PROPOSALS AIRED AT STRASBOURG

Strasbourg, August 22.

The General Affairs Committee of the European Assembly today worked out a plan to by-pass its "Upper House" of Foreign Ministers and bring important proposals to the floors of national parliaments.

Council of Europe members have complained bitterly ever since the present session started here a fortnight ago that Assembly recommendations for the United States of Europe were getting no further than the pigeon-holes of the Committee of Ministers.

The General Affairs Committee's plan, announced tonight, has four points. These are:

(1) Certain resolutions will be selected by the Assembly's Standing Committee in order of importance.

(2) These resolutions will be printed and circulated to the Governments of all member states.

(3) Members of the Council of Europe's Consultative Assembly will pledge themselves to bring up these resolutions for debate in their home parliaments.

(4) All members of the Assembly who voted in favour of the resolutions will be pledged to use all their efforts to have them adopted by their national parliaments.

The Committee's drastic plan for by-passing the Foreign Ministers will go before the full Assembly for debate later this week.

If it is passed by the Assembly, the proposal itself may dodge past the Committee of Ministers. M. Georges Bidault, Chairman of the General Affairs Committee, told a press conference tonight that he did not think it would be necessary to refer the matter to the Foreign Ministers.

The newspaper said that the pact was concluded following a week-long conference on the Indo-China-Kwangsi border. It quoted "intelligence reports from the mainland" as the source of the report.

The report said that both parties pledged to extend mutual aid in "the common war of resistance against Western imperialism," and that Communist China was committed to give all-out assistance to Ho Chi-minh in his plan to unify Vietnam, expel the French and establish a "free, democratic, independent State."

The report added that the pact also provides for air bases along the China-Indo-China border.

TOGLIATTI IN CAR ACCIDENT

Ivrea, Italy, August 23. The Italian Communist leader, Palmiro Togliatti, vacationing with a Communist woman deputy, Leonida Jotti, was injured today when his chauffeur-driven car plunged off the road and overturned in a ditch.

The 57-year-old Communist chief, suffered slight injuries to his chest, right arm and leg. Doctors at Ivrea Civil Hospital said the injuries would heal in two days.

One of the other occupants of the car, which included the chauffeur, an unidentified bodyguard and an attractive 30-year-old Communist woman deputy, was injured. Miss Jotti, former school teacher and leader of the Communist Women's Organisation, has been seen frequently with Togliatti for the past three years.—United Press.

LOAN TO AUSTRALIA

Washington, August 22. The International Bank on Tuesday granted a \$100,000,000 loan to Australia.

Eugene Black, President of the Bank, said the loan will be used for capital goods and equipment needed for development projects both private and governmental in Australia during the next two years.

The Bank has told the Australian government that it is willing to participate over the next five years in further financing of Australian development.—United Press.

KOO BACK IN U.S.

Washington, August 21. Dr. Wellington Koo, Nationalist China's Ambassador to the United States, arrived at the National airport today from Taiwan where he was called three weeks ago for consultations with the Government.

Dr. Koo had no statement to make but he also said he would probably ask an appointment with the Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, later this week to give him first-hand information of the situation in Taiwan.—United Press.

## Too much silk proves costly

Washington, August 22.

Too much silk and not enough blue overalls cost Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek the support of the Chinese people, a Congressman charged today. The charge drew a stout measure of support from the Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson.

Republican Representative Albert Engel told Mr. Acheson at a recent closed hearing of the House Appropriations Sub-committee that he attended a banquet with Chiang and his chiefs in China some years back. The hearing has just been made public.

"I was in a large banquet hall from 9 o'clock until 11," Mr. Engel said. "Everybody was in silks. They had everything to eat under the sun."

One day, he said, he lunched with the Communist leader Mao Tse-tung, who came wearing blue overalls, a U.S. \$1.50 blue denim jacket and a blue bandana.

"He was the kind of man that would appeal to the Chinese people rather than Chiang Kai-shek," Mr. Engel said. "I could not see what in the world the United States had to fight for. They can fight for it in going to be a hopeless problem."

Mr. Acheson agreed and said that is what the State Department has been arguing for years. "What these national administrators have to do is to try to get behind the interests of the people and serve the people."

Mr. Acheson said, "If they do that then they get the support from their own people. And if they do not you have exactly the situation that you have described in China—support moves out from the national government."—United Press.

## RADIO

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12.45—"Time for Music"—BBC Midland Light Orchestra (BBC).

1.00—Popular Harmony.

1.15—News, Weather Report and Announcements.

1.30—"Theatre Memorabilia".

2.00—Close Down.

6.00—"Hong Kong Calling"—Programme Summary.

6.02—Children's Half Hour—"The Play Room Bookshelf".

6.04—Elizabeth Ann. (Studio).

6.20—London Studio Melodica—"The Light and the Dark". (BBC).

7.00—"Take it from Here"—With Joy Nichols, Dick Bentley and Jimmy Edwards. (BBC).

7.30—La Demie-Heure Francophone. (Studio).

8.00—World News and News Analysis. (London Relay).

8.15—"B.B.C. Handstand"—Band of the Welsh Guards. Conducted by Lt. F. L. Statham. (BBC).

8.45—"Sports Review"—by Bill Phillips. (Studio).

9.00—"From the Editorials"—(London Relay).

9.10—Weather Report.

9.15—"Thursday Serenade"—A Programme of Continuous Music Arranged by Betty Brown.

9.30—Book Talk by Ruth Kirby. (Studio).

9.45—"At the Opera"—"Il Trovatore" by Verdi, Act 2. With the Principal Members of the Chorus and Orchestra of La Scala, Milan. Conducted by Carlo Sabajno.

10.25—"The File of Wood"—A Mystery Play by Evelyn Russell. (BBC).

10.40—Net Broadcast and His Orch. (London Relay).

10.50—Radio News Reel. (London Relay).

11.15—Weather Report.

11.16—"Goodnight Music".

11.30—"God Save the King".

11.40—Close Down.

## Reditusion

A.M.

7.00—Up With The Sun.

7.30—Musical Clock.

7.45—Ed. A. Keller Show.

8.00—News & Weather.

8.15—Radio's Bourdon Symphonette.

8.30—Morning Music.

8.45—Classics.

9.00—Morning Melody.

P.M.

12.00—H.K. Stock Exchange.

12.15—Tune Time.

12.30—From The Files.

1.00—Light Variety.

1.15—News.

1.30—Orch. Of The Week.

2.00—Variety Cuts The Time.

2.30—The Ted Benson Show.

3.15—Tropics.

3.45—Vocalists.

4.00—Music Makers.

4.15—The Vic Damone Show.

4.30—Children's Corner.

4.45—The Mindy Carson Show.

5.00—Request Show.

5.30—Dance Music.

5.45—Men Behind the Melody.

6.00—Fred Flare and His Pansy.

6.15—Song Souvenir.

6.30—Eileen to Loretta.

6.45—H.K. News.

7.00—Local News.

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7.30—Concert Hall.

7.45—Musical Merry Go Round.

8.00—The Waltz-Live On.

8.15—At The Opera.

8.30—D.B.O. News.

8.45—Local News.

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